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AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 8, 2002. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claim 63 without prejudice.

Please amend claims as follows. Applicants have included herewith pages showing the mark-ups of the claims with insertions and deletions indicated by underlining and bracketing, respectively.

15. (Amended) A pharmaceutical preparation comprising

an agent which when administered to the subject enriches selectively the presence of complexes of a MHC molecule and a cancer associated antigen, and

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